66900 to 66902—Continued.

66900. PHYLLOSTACHYS SD.

No. 128. From Ooshek, on the Sui River, in the eastern part of Kwangsi Province. April 28, 1925. Manchuk, Mansunchuk. The sprouts are smaller, on the average, than those of Manchuk [No. 66901].

66901. PHYLLOSTACHYS SD.

No. 141. Ooshek. April 28, 1925. Man chuk.

66902. PHYLLOSTACHYS Sp.

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No. 150. Obtained from the wild on Beggar Mountain, Lohkongtung, May 24, 1925. Ka fat to chuk. This is a small bamboo, 2 to 3 meters high, and spreading by means of rhizomes. The young sprouts, which come in March and April, are considered by the local people to be very excellent, as it is not necessary to subject them to the parboiling and soaking process required by so many of the rhizome bamboos. Now and then a cane is said to appear with swollen nodes and shortened internodes, a characteristic doubtless responsible for the name given to this bamboo, which may prove to be the same as No. 110 [No. 63872]. Such canes are much sought after by the village people for pipestems. people for pipestems.

66903 to 66950.

From Ottawa, Canada. Seeds presented by J. Adams, botanist, Central Experimental Farm. Received April 23, 1926.

66903 to 66910. ACONITUM spp. Ranunculaceae.

66903. ACONITUM FISHERI Reichenb

Azure monkshood.

No. 675. Var. acutum. A herbaceous perennial with stems about 5 feet high, large three-parted leaves, and numerous paleblue flowers in panieles. Native to Canada.

For previous introduction see No. 51745. 66904. ACONITUM HETEROPHYLLUM Wall.

No. 676. An erect herbaceous perennial 1 to 3 feet high, with broadly oval or rounded heart-shaped, more or less five-lobed leaves, and bright-blue flowers about an inch long, in panicled racemes. Native to the tem perate Himalayas.

66905. ACONITUM KUSNEZOFFII Reichenb.

No. 679. An erect hardy herbaceous perennial, native to northeastern Asia, with terminal clusters of bluish flowers.

66906 and 68907. ACONITUM LYCOCTONUM L. Wolfbane.

A slender perennial reaching a height of 6 feet, with yellow or whitish flowers. Native to Europe and Siberia.

For previous introduction see No. 53122.

66906. No. 680, Var. pyrenaicum.

66907. No. 681. Var. scholeri.

66908 and 66909. ACONITUM NAPELLUS L. Aconite.

An erect herbaceous European perennial, with stems about 3 feet high, much-divided leaves, and racemes of blue flowers.

For previous introduction see No. 53082.

66908. No. 677. Var. braunii.

66909. No. 678. Var. grandiflorus.

66910. ACONITUM ORIENTALE Mill Monkshood.

No. 682. A herbaceous perennial 4 to 5 feet high, native to the Caucasus, with large palmately divided leaves and light-yellow

66903 to 66950—Continued.

66911 to 66919. Anemone spp. Ranunculaceae.

66911. ANEMONE BALDENSIS L.

No. 691. A tuberous rooted white-flow-ered perennial about 6 inches high, native to Switzerland.

66912. ANEMONE CORONARIA L. Poppy anemone.

No. 693. A low herbaceous perennial, a foot or less high with tuberous roots, finely divided leaves, and poppylike variously colored flowers. Native to the Mediterranean region.

66913. Anemone montana Hoppe.

No. 694. A herbaceous perennial with oval pinnatifid leaves and nodding, deep-violet flowers. Native to southern Europe.

66914. Anemone nigricans (Stoerck) Kerner.

No. 696. A hairy perennial native to central Europe, a foot or less high, with finely divided basal leaves, and blue or purple flowers an inch or two across.

66915 and 66916. ANEMONE PATENS L. Spreading anemone.

A very hairy European anemone, about 8 inches high, with much-divided leaves and erect, bluish purple or whitish flowers with feathery styles.

66915. No. 698. Var. wolfgangiana.

66916, No. 699. Var. montana.

66917. ANEMONE RIVULARIS Buch.-Ham. An emone.

No. 700. A woody ornamental plant from 1 to 3 feet in height, with three-parted basal leaves up to 6 inches in diameter and white or bluish flowers, 1 to 1½ inches long, in compound cymes. It is a native of temperate regions in India and Ceylon above 5,000 feet altitude.

For previous introduction see No. 47638.

66918 and 66919. ANEMONE SYLVESTRIS L. Snowdrop anemone.

A European perennial commonly called the snowdrop anemone because of the drooping habit of the flowers before fully expanding, giving it a certain resemblance to the snowdrop (Galanthus nivalis). The white flowers, 1½ inches in diameter, are borne on long peduncies which arise singly from an involucre of leaves. These leaves are ternate or quinate with deeply toothed leaflets, and are hairy on the under surface.

For previous introduction see No. 49922.

66918. No. 701.

66919. No. 702. Var. baicarliensis.

66920 to 66922. BERBERIS spp. Berberidaceae. Barberry.

66920. BERBERIS CARICA Hort.

No. 26.

66921. BERBERIS FISCHERI Hort.

No. 28. Probably a form of Berberis canadensis.

66922. Berberis Chinensis Poir.

A hardy barberry, native to the Caucasus, closely related to *Berberis sinensis*. It is 4 to 6 feet high, with slender branches and purplish berries.

66923 to 66925. COTONEASTER Spp. Malaceae